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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a _____ continuation-in-part _____ continuation **XXX** divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application, Serial No. **10/052,620** filed on **January 18, 2002** of **John H. Magerlein; Kevin S. Petrarca; Sampath Purushothaman; Carlos J. Sambucetti; Richard P. Volant; and George F. Walker** for **HIGH DENSITY AREA ARRAY SOLDER MICROJOINING INTERCONNECT STRUCTURE AND FABRICATION METHOD.**

The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT BELOW				
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TOTAL CLAIMS	20 - 20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0
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1. A check in the amount of \$____ is enclosed.
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1. No fee enclosed – filing by missing parts.
2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$856.00 and any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 50-0510**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.
3. Cancel in this application original claim(s) _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
4. A copy of the executed oath or declaration from U.S. Application Serial No. **10/052,620** filed **January 18, 2002** is enclosed.

5. _____ A new oath or declaration, new formal drawings and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy is enclosed.

6. _____ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: ---This is a _____ continuation, _____ division, of application serial no. _____, filed _____ .

7. XXX The prior application is assigned of record to: **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION.**

8. XXX The power of attorney in the prior application is to: **International Business Corporation.**

a. The power appears in the original papers in the prior application. **International Business Machines Corporation.**

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9. XXX A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)

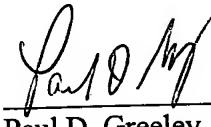
10. XXX Priority of application Serial No. 10/052,620 filed on January 18, 2002 in the United States is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120;

11. XXX I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 10/052,620 as originally filed on January 18, 2002.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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